

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY COTONOU

TO AMEMBASSY ABIDJAN

SECSTATE WASHDC 6986

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EO 11652: NA

TAGS: EAID, DM

SUBJ: COTONOU BRIDGE-DAM 625-W-009

REF A. STATE 49498 B. ABIDJAN 1795 C. ABIDJAN 1935

1. EMBASSY DISCUSSED TIMING OF SANDERS AND THOMAS VISIT WITH MRGD DIR OF PUBLIC WORKDS GBAGUIDI THIS MORNING 10 MARCH. GBAGUIDI SAID HE HAD RECEIVED TODAY CABLE FROM AFRICAN DEVELOPMENT BANK (AFDB) SUGGESTING 24 MARCH AS DATE FOR START OF S&T DISCUSSIONS WITH MRGD ON COTONOU BRIDGE DAM. GBAGUIDI PERFRECTLY AGREEABLE WITH THIS DATE, BUT ASKED THAT WE KEEP HIM INFORMED IF ANY CHANGES ARE TO BE MADE IN S&T SCHEDULE. SAID THAT MARCH 19 WAS ALSO ACCEPTABLE TO MRGD, BUT NOTED THAT AFDB SEEMED TO RULE OUT THAT DATE.

2. PLEASE ADVISE LATEST TRAVEL PLANS OF SANDERS AND THOMAS.  
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